IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:

CARTER, ODIE KENNETH

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METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR BUILDING AND REPLENISHING

CASH DRAWERS WITH COINS

Docket No. 31474

Group Art Unit No. 2161

Examiner: McAllister, Steven B.

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant, through his attorneys, hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time in which to file a response to office action of February 19, 2004. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0522 in the amount of \$55.00 for the one-month fee.

In the event that the foregoing request or fee calculation is incorrect, this Petition should be construed as one for sufficient time to permit timely filing of the present reply. Any additional fee which is due in connection with this Petition should be applied against our Deposit Account No. 19-0522.

Respectfully submitted,

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